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INVENTION: "FRAMEWORK FOR PROVIDING A CONFIGURABLE FIREWALL FOR COMPUTING SYSTEMS"

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**AMENDMENT "A"**

SIR:

This Amendment "A" is filed in response to the non-final Office Action of June 1, 2007. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

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